

August 4, 1938.

Mr. Brady Johnson,
633 Brambleton Ave.,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:

Would have answered your wire yesterday, but there was no address so consequently I had to wait until your letter arrived this afternoon. We are out West at present, do not return home until August 12th.

It is impossible to book games at such short notice, you should get in touch with me at least three or four weeks in advance, possibly more, as our schedule is made up at the beginning of the season and any open dates we can fill in wherever we want to. It does not look at this time that we will be able to get to Norfolk any time soon, we return home on Friday, August 12th and are playing home for the next couple of weeks.

If you send me the schedule of the Norfolk Ball Club so I can see when the Team is away, I will let you know if it will be possible to come down at any time. We should be able to arrange some interesting games on the way back from Training Camp next year, if you keep in touch with me. Appreciate your offer very much.

Your inquiry about the Team, we have had quite a set back in the pitching staff. Had expected to have Satchell Paige, as you probably have heard he went to South America, and our young boy, Leon Day, who didn't lose a game last year, has a sore arm and we are not using him at all any more this season. We have acquired a couple of new fellows, but you know how those things are.

Thanking you very much for your interest.

Yours very truly,

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